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Region V RISE Information Form

DATE: 08/29/94

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*Did Recon - NFA
for Removal*

SAM /phone# Jeanne Griffin / (312)886-3007

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Who Reported Site: Tim Wilson

Site Name: ASTRO DIVISION OF HARSCO

US EPA RECORDS CENTER REGION 5



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Please assign / Need CERCLIS ID NO.: We need this.

Need Site Specific Spill ID No.: NA

Site Location: (address/city/county/state/zip)

3225 Lincoln Way West, Wooster, Wayne, Ohio, 44691.

Site Owner Name and phone# ASTRO (as above) / (216)264-8639

Operation Status: Active X Inactive

Site Description:

Astro Metallurgical began operations at this location in 1962.
Prior use of this 20 acre parcel was farming.

Astro was acquired by Harsco in 1981 and continue in specialty
wire drawing and manufacture.

Type of Operation and Wastes:

Descaling of raw material with caustic soda dip (virgo salts).
Acid dip for wire sizing using nitric, sulfuric, and hydrofluoric
acids. Degreaser(1,1,1 trichloroethane) for wire cleaning. Also
used are Solvent based paints and machine oil lubricants. Ground
Water and Soil testing has shown trichloroethene and 1,1,1
trichloroethane contamination.

Suspect Resource Damage: Y NO (If yes, list DNR,USFW Contact)

Anticipate Site Recon/Sampling Date: Priority: (High Low)

Site Assessment Involvement: Y N Integrated Assessment: YES N

Remediation Decision (TC, NTC, NPL) Date of Decision: NOT YET
ASTRO is potential PRP for the Wooster North Wellfield Site.

Prepared by: Roger *Boyd*

Date: 08/29/94

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Inter-Office Communication

To: Roger Boyd, CO/DERR
From: Jim Wilson, NEDO/DERR
Subject: Astro Division of Harsco

Date: August 23, 1994

Astro Metallurgical began operations at 3225 Lincoln Way West in Wooster in 1962. Prior to that time the 20 acre parcel of land was used for agricultural purposes. In 1981 Astro underwent acquisition by Harsco. Astro is in the business of design and fabrication of various specialty metal products for industrial and manufacturing applications (eg. wire).

Industrial chemical usage since 1962:

- caustic soda dips (virgo salts) to descale the raw material wire
- acid dips (nitric, sulfuric, and hydrofluoric acids) for sizing wire to specifications
- degreasers (1,1,1 trichloroethane) for cleaning wire products after acid dips
- solvent based paints
- machine oil lubricants

Ground water and soil testing has revealed the presence of trichloroethene and 1,1,1 trichloroethane contamination.

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